

PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 01064.0011-06-000
Customer Number 34,986

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Richard LEVY)
Serial No.: 09/779,559) Group Art Unit: 1774
Filed: February 9, 2001)
For: SUPERABSORBENT POLYMER)
COMPOSITIONS ON A)
SUBSTRATE (AS AMENDED)) Examiner: Jill M. Gray

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of March 25, 2003. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for a [number] month(s) extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$[Fee] for the Extension is enclosed.
The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	42	-	21	21	x \$ 18	\$ 378
Indep.	2	-	3	0	x \$ 80	0
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					Subtotal	\$ 668
					Reduction by ½ if small entity	-334
					TOTAL	\$ 334

A fee of \$[Fee] to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.
 A fee of \$[Fee] to cover [Title of other paper(s)] is enclosed.
 FORM PTO 2038 to cover payment of \$334 to cover the above fee is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

THE LAW OFFICES OF ROBERT J. EICHELBURG

By: 
Robert J. Eichelburg Reg. No. 23,057

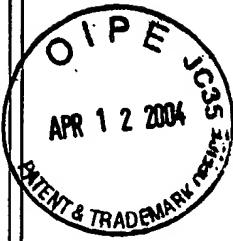
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AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Please amend the above identified application as follows in response to the examiner's March 25, 2004 communication.

Amendments to the written description begin on page 2 of this amendment.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this amendment.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this amendment.

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Amendments to the Written Description:

Please replace paragraph 1 on page 1 with the following amended paragraph:

This is a continuation of parent application Serial No. [08/943,125] 08/943,123 filed October 3, 1997, which is a continuation of Serial No. 08/583,587 Filed January 5, 1996, which is a CIP of Serial No. 08/487,436 filed June 7, 1995, all of which are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.